## Journal

## Office of Legislative Counsel

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1. I informed Mr. Belen, of the staff of the House Committee on Post Office & Civil Service, that CIA preferred not to testify on H.R. 554 and 571 as our position had already been set forth in our letter to the Committee dated September 13, 1951 and would be reiterated in the testimony of the Chairman of the Civil Service Commission.

STATINTL OPC, called to state that he had been informed that Counsel for the Internal Security Subcommittee of STATINTL the Senate Judiciary Committee had called Mrs. H, the wife of STATINTL and requested H's address which she had furnished. Committee Counsel proposed to write H. a STATINTL letter to see if he would confirm testimony before the subcommittee. H had been a co-signer of the original affidavit which he STATINTL had prepared regarding their conversations with John Davies. and [ Mr. Houston called STATINTL who saw nothing wrong in writing the letter would check to see if it had been sent. It was pointed out to Mr. Morris that the danger of its interception through censorship would blow H's cover.

3. Attended briefing of Messrs. Becker, Wolf, et al, in preparation for appearances before the House Appropriations Committee.